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refuse in the streets, and upon protest from this office to the mayor it was stopped and postponed until cooler weather. Last season not a case of yellow fever occurred in this city, and by taking every precaution we should not have a case this season.

*Casilda*.—Dr. Alejandro Cantero reports 4 deaths in the city of Trinidad during the week; no contagious diseases. Inspected 2 foreign vessels during the week.

*Santa Cruz del Sur*.—Dr. Juan R. Xiques reports no deaths and no contagious diseases during the week. Inspected 1 foreign vessel during the week.

Respectfully,

J. M. LINDSLEY,

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The SURGEON-GENERAL,

*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*

*Report from Havana.*

HAVANA, CUBA, April 9, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to forward herewith report for the week ended April 7, 1900.

The general health of the town continues good, the death rate being low. The weather has been unusually cool and there has been no increase, rather a diminution of yellow fever. The number of passengers leaving for the United States has markedly diminished; that by New York lines has undergone some increase; that by way of southern ports has practically ceased, 9 only having gone this week, in 6 steamships. The work of the station is going on fairly well, though things naturally do not go smoothly the first ten or fourteen days of quarantine. There have been 2 cases of yellow fever reported this week—1 American and 1 Spaniard. I inclose herewith mortuary report and report of work of outdoor department.

Respectfully,

H. R. CARTER,

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The SURGEON-GENERAL,

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[Inclosure.]

*Mortuary report for the week ended April 7, 1900.*

	Deaths.
Tuberculosis.....	18
Enteritis.....	9
Pneumonia.....	6
Enteric fever.....	3
Malarial fever.....	4
La grippe.....	4
Total deaths from all causes.....	105
For outdoor department—	
Examined.....	352
Vaccinated.....	53
Alien steerage passengers entered.....	700
Vessels inspected and cleared.....	24
Vessels inspected and entered.....	12
Vessels disinfected.....	3